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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for replying to the Restriction Requirement that was mailed in connection with the above-captioned application on April 13, 2007 be extended for 5 months, to and including October 15, 2007, as October 13, 2007 is a Saturday.

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